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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated January 22, 1999, the shortened statutory period for response having been extended three months to expire on July 22, 1999, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

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